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In Re Patent of: Jean-Claude Artonne et al.

Patent No.: 6,844,990 B2

Appln. No.: 10/706,513

Title: METHOD FOR CAPTURING AND  
DISPLAYING A VARIABLE  
RESOLUTION DIGITAL  
PANORAMIC IMAGE

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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION OF PATENT  
FOR PTO MISTAKE (37 C.F.R. § 1.322(a))**

Attached, in duplicate, is PTO/SB/44 (also Form PTO-1050), with at least one copy being suitable for printing.

It is submitted that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is responsible for the errors since the noted errors to the specification appear correctly in the application as filed. Accordingly, no fee should be charged to the patentees or their assignee for the correction.

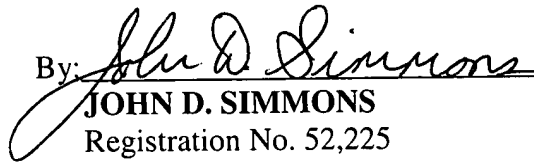
Issuance of a Certificate of Correction is believed appropriate and is respectfully solicited.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

**In the Specification:**

**Column 2, line 34, "ax" should be replaced with --  $\alpha$  --;**

**Column 13, line 17 and column 14, line 65, "a" should be replaced with --  $\alpha$  --;**

**Column 16, line 62, the formula should read:**

$$-- z(r) = [(C*r^2)/(1 + \sqrt{1-(1+k)*C^2*r^2})] + A_1r^2 + A_2r^4 + A_3r^6 + A_4r^8 + A_5r^{10} --.$$

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